

AMBASSADOR MILLICENT H. FENWICK

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Background

- Childhood – Bernardsville, N.J. and New York City
- Maternal family- pre-Revolution
- Paternal grandfather – Civil War general
- Mother's death in the Lusitania
- Country life
- Siblings and children
- Father Ambassador to Spain

Education

- Private schools (no high school diploma)
- Non-credit courses

Married, dairy and chicken farm

- Financial difficulties/ job-hunting and rebuffs
- Writer for Vogue

Public Life

- National Conference of Christians and Jews
- Board of Education
- Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies
 - Assaulted by "America Firsters"
- NAACP
- Borough Council
- Motivation for entering politics
- Civil Rights Commission – J.J. committee
- Republican Committeewoman
- New Jersey Assembly

Congresswoman from New Jersey

- Helsinki Pact
- Legislative interests
- Defeat at polls

Rome: Ambassador to Food and Agricultural Organization

- Confirmation
- Responsibilities
- Relations with staff
- Staff women and mission wives
- No private life
- Comments about other UN agencies

Relations with US embassy and with UN missions
Policy recommendations
Travel, entertainment

Comments

Women in professional work
Advantages to being a woman
Advice to young women
Her reputation as a pipe smoker